



PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Yutaka YAMAGATA et al.

Group Art Unit: 1743

Application No.: 09/674,304

Examiner: E. Quan

Filed: August 6, 2001

Docket No.: 107734

For: LIQUID TREATING EQUIPMENT INCLUDING A STORAGE VESSEL AND A
DISCHARGE VESSEL

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In reply to the March 29, 2004 Office Action, please consider the following:

Amendments to the Claims as reflected in the listing of claims; and

Remarks.